

IN THE FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

Send in news of your boy so his friends in uniform may keep in touch with him. Phone 788.

Cpl. Dorothy Barber, Simcoe, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Barber. Pte. Arnot Longhurst, Camp Ipperwash, is spending a furlough at his home. Maj. A. H. Woods has been transferred to No. 2 District Depot, Toronto, pending posting to another centre. Maj. Woods was officer commanding training at the Educational Basic Training Centre at North Bay which has been recently closed. LAC Don McBride, Clinton, spent the weekend at his home. Pte. Delbert Pemberton, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Sgt. Aubrey Ransom, Camp Borden, spent last week with Mrs. Ransom and Neil. Pte. K. J. Castle, who is serving in France, recently sent a parcel of gifts to his sister, Mrs. Cyril Keats. Pte. Castle also sent gifts to Mrs. F. W. Keats.

Capt. J. M. Seldon, Petawawa, spent the weekend with his wife and family.

Lieut. Denne Bosworth has returned to Petawawa after spending a two-week furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bosworth.

LAC John Hunter, Toronto, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Alex Thompson. Sgt. W. F. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Johnson, Huron St., will celebrate his sixth overseas birthday on Feb. 25. It is his second birthday in Italy.

LAW Beulah Boyce spent last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Hutchinson and family.

Sgt. Robt. McCann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert McCann, Newmarket, celebrated his third overseas birthday on February 21, and his second "Italian" birthday.

HELPS WELFARE FUND H. J. Luck has made a gift of \$50 to the Newmarket Veterans' Welfare fund.

MARCH 9 DATE SET FOR BLOOD CLINIC

The date of the next civilian blood donor clinic is March 9. The clinic will be held in its usual place, at Trinity United church, during the morning.

Indicative of the ever-increasing need for blood plasma is a letter written by L. Cpl. E. L. Dillane, former Newmarket high school student and now serving in Europe, to his father, Dr. M. K. Dillane. Dr. Dillane, as the letter indicates, has been working in a clinic at Bond Head. Excerpts from the letter follow: "Dear Dad: Have been interested in your work at the blood clinic at Bond Head... the thought occurred to me that you and your friends might be interested in the other end of the story... I want to make it plain that hundreds of lives have been saved in our unit alone by plasma. It would not be possible if it were not for the people at home in Canada who are donating blood... there is no greater satisfaction than to see a man who an hour, or an hour and a half ago, was at death's door, talking and smoking with you."

A later letter tells of giving a wounded man five pints of blood within an hour and how the casualty was thus kept alive.

Those wishing to donate blood at the coming clinic are asked to phone 105 or 250 to make their appointments.

RESUMES DUTIES Rev. A. B. Stein will resume his duties Sunday after an illness which has lasted since Christmas.

WINS SCHOLARSHIP Miss M. E. Murdison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Murdison, Newmarket, has been awarded the Robert Bruce Scholarship at the University of Toronto. The scholarship was awarded by the Faculty of Arts in which Miss Murdison is a second year student. The award was one of four made by the Senate of the university.

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No Town Soldiers, POW'S In Germany, Yet Reported Free

MEETING POSTPONED The meeting of the Home and School Association, originally set for Tuesday, Feb. 27, has been postponed till Wednesday, Feb. 28, because of the Ice Carnival. The meeting will be held as usual in Trinity United church at 8 p.m. The subject will be Health.

FO L. BENVILLE DIES OVERSEAS

FO Lawrence Benville, 21, reported missing Jan. 10 following a raid over Germany Jan. 5, has now been listed killed in action. The son of Mrs. Violet Benville, Millard Ave., and John R. Benville, Hamilton, FO Benville went overseas in April of last year. He was an air-gunner. Before enlisting, FO Benville was known as Canada's youngest parachute jumper. He started jumping when he was 16 and prior to enlisting had completed 60 jumps. He trained in the west and married there. His wife and daughter are living in Portage La Prairie, Man. He enlisted in 1942 and served in Canada until going overseas last year. Mrs. Benville has received word that two members of his crew are reported prisoners of war. At present, she said, Red Cross and air force officials are seeking additional information. Also surviving are three brothers, CPO Robert, Newfoundland; Cpl. Norman, Italy; and Donald, Hamilton.

Bantams Start Second Round With 9-0 Win

The local bantam hockey team began their second round in the O.M.H.A. play-offs by defeating Bolton 9-0 in the Memorial arena last night. The size of some of the Bolton boys dismayed our lads at first, but they soon realized that a bit of speed, combination and stiff checking more than made up for extra weight. All the Newmarket boys turned in a good game which thrilled the small crowd that turned out to see them at the supper hour. Every lad deserved praise but the highlight was the goal tending of Ronald Monkman.

The goals scored were: First period, L. Thoms, Don Gibson from J. Cain, Don Gibson from R. Coveney and K. Burke; second period, G. Firth from D. Gibson, L. Thoms from L. Duncan, D. Duncan from L. Thoms; third period, D. Wilkins, D. Gibson from K. Burke and L. Coveney, B. Burch from L. Thoms.

Newmarket: Monkman K. Burch, D. Wilkins, L. Thoms, C. Rose, R. Duncan, L. Firth, D. Blake, D. Gibson, C. Coveney, K. Burke, L. W. Burke, L. W.

By GEORGE HASKETT

Newmarket's entry in the bantam series of the Ontario Minor Association has hurdled the first obstacle in its path. In a two-game series with the Sutton peewees the local squad walked off with a win in both games. At Sutton the Redmen took the honors 6-1, while at the Memorial arena on Monday they again emerged with a close 6-5 verdict. The kids, bedecked in the traditional red and white, are

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HAS 95TH BIRTHDAY



Silas Armitage, thought to be the oldest resident in Newmarket, will celebrate his 95th birthday on Sunday. Mr. Armitage lives alone on Timothy St. He has an active interest in gardening, despite his age.

PRIZES GIVEN FOR REPORTS ON KIDS' NIGHT

Through the co-operation of the principals and staff of the three public schools and separate school, a contest for the best four reports on the highlights of Tom Kirk Night at the Memorial arena Friday, has been arranged. The contest is limited to grades six, seven and eight of each of the schools and the contestants are asked to keep their reports to less than 500 words. The best report from each school will be published in the next issue of The Newmarket Era and Express with the best of the four receiving first prize and the others given awards in order of merit. The pupils are asked to hand in their reports to their teachers as soon as possible at the beginning of the week. The teachers will choose the best of each grade to be given to the editor for final judging. Prizes will be announced at a later date. The schedule for the night opens with a hockey game between the Gliders and the Mosquitoes at 7 p.m. After the game, the following races will take place: boys, under seven years; girls, under seven years; boys, seven years; girls, seven years; boys, eight years; girls, eight years; boys, nine years; girls, nine years; boys, ten years; girls, ten years; boys, 11 years; girls, 11 years; boys, 12 years; girls, 12 years; boys, 13 years; girls, 13 years; boys, 14 years; girls, 14 years; relay, senior boys; relay, senior girls; Senior boys, four times around the arena, limited to the ten best skaters in 13, 14-year race. Vouchers which can be cashed with the local merchants and having values from 25 cents to one dollar will be awarded as prizes for the races.

RETURNS HOME

Pte. Ross Blencowe returned home Friday on a 30-day leave after being overseas since 1940. Pte. Blencowe served in Italy and was twice wounded in action. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blencowe, he has three brothers who are serving overseas.

under the capable direction of Vice-Principal Fred L. Hall who has rounded up a strong well balanced club.

A couple of orchids to the guys behind the scene who are making the team possible, Fred Hall and Frank Bowser. Billy Taylor and "Bep" Guidolin of No. 23 deserve special mention for their coaching.

Newmarket: goal, B. Hillaby; defence, G. Firth, I. Brown; centre, Don Gibson; wings, R. Coveney, R. Monkman; alternates, B. Burch, D. Wilkins, L. Thoms, D. Duncan, W. Cherry, K. Burke. Referee: R. Peters.

Anniversary Services Are Well Attended

The largest congregation in years attended the 121st anniversary services at Trinity United church on Sunday. Rev. (Capt.) W. L. L. Lawrence, B.A., a former minister of the church, spoke at the morning service. At the close of the service Geo. D. Wark dedicated and unveiled a memorial window to the memory of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bennett. Rev. R. R. McMath pronounced the benediction. Rev. R. E. Cochrane, general secretary of home missions, United Church of Canada, was the guest speaker at the evening service. Miss Jean Davis was guest soloist at both the morning and evening services.

There was a good attendance at the concert on Monday evening. Guest artists included Misses Betty Brennan, Jean Davis and Owen Lambert, pupils of Madame Elizabeth Campbell. A. J. Gibson was accompanist.

Andrew Davis officiated at the opening of the redecorated and refurnished recreation room which has the usual gymnasium equipment and four table tennis tables, table hockey, carpet ball, shuffleboard and other games. There are two violas, including one combination radio-violas, a good supply of records and current magazines. The recreation room is not only intended to meet the needs of present church groups, but also the men and women who will be returning from the armed services. Donations and the Monday evening offering were sufficient to pay for all the equipment.

GAME TONIGHT Les Beazer, manager of Newmarket Memorial Arena, says that regardless of weather, the game with H.M.C.S. York will be played tonight and that the ice is good.

DEFINITE PROMISE SOUGHT IN VOCATIONAL FINANCES; DEPARTMENT SAID NEEDED

Newmarket town council held for further consideration a request from the Newmarket high school board that the council issue debentures for the construction of a new wing at the high school for vocational training.

A. N. Belugin, chairman of the finance committee of the board, was present to outline the financing of the vocational wing. A letter was read to council from the vocational department of education in which it was stated that it "appeared" as if the province would shoulder 75 percent of the capital cost of building a vocational wing.

On the advice of the town solicitor, N. L. Mathews, council decided to await more definite word from the provincial department before proceeding further.

A letter was read from the Newmarket public school board which endorsed the request of the high school board for the vocational wing. Mr. Belugin added his assurances that the separate school board was equally favorable to the proposal.

Council was told that under the High School Act, when the high school board feels that there is a need for a permanent addition to the high school costing over \$500, they must ask the council to issue debentures for the amount.

"Under the High School Act, if the high school board asks council to issue debentures, council can do so without a vote," Mr. Mathews stated. "However, all such expenditures must be approved by the municipal board which can direct a vote if it so decides. In view of the fact that the proposal to build a vocational wing was voted down seven years ago, it is fairly likely that the municipal board will direct a vote be taken."

"The town must issue debentures covering the complete cost and the province will reimburse the town to the extent of the assistance it promises. Grants are made as a matter of policy, not by legislation. Suppose that the town goes ahead on the assumption that 75 percent of the cost will be borne by the government and that in two years, the government changes or the province government changes its policy; the town would be left holding the bag."

"I think you are wrong," said Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales. "I don't think any government would change such a policy." "The letter describing the grant appears to be worded to avoid definite," said Mr. Mathews. "The letter doesn't say that the grant will be paid, only that it 'appears as if the government would pay approximately 75 percent.' We should have something definite before going further."

MISS M. DOYLE DIES FOLLOWING STROKE

Ill only six days following a stroke on Saturday, Mary O. (Minnie) Doyle died at York County hospital on Friday. Born in Newmarket, Miss Doyle was a daughter of the late Stephen and Ellen Doyle, members of one of the oldest Newmarket families. She made her home with her brother, T. F. Doyle, Newmarket.

Miss Doyle was a member of St. John's Roman Catholic church, Newmarket, and a member of the Catholic Women's league. Known for her charitable disposition, Miss Doyle found much pleasure in caring for those in need and those who were ill.

She is survived by four brothers, T. F. Doyle, Newmarket, Frank Doyle, Newmarket, Fred Doyle, Toronto, and Harry Doyle, Morrisburg, and four sisters, Mrs. Harry Fee (Rose), Sault Ste. Marie, Mrs. Irene Duncan, Newmarket, Mrs. Geo. Osborne (Anne), Newmarket, and Grace Doyle, who is employed at Dixon Pencil Co., Newmarket.

Rev. Dr. W. D. Muckle conducted funeral mass at St. John's church, Newmarket, Monday morning, assisted by Father M. Bolan, Church of the Forty Martyrs, Bradford. Interment was made in St. John's cemetery.

The pallbearers were Fred A. Lundy, R. C. Smith, Ray Jelley, Cliff Insley, Alex Eves and Wm. McCaffrey, all of Newmarket.

HAS LONG JOURNEY

Mrs. Fred Lewis sent her son, Pte. Fred Lewis, who was overseas, a greeting card so it would reach him by Christmas, 1943. On Tuesday Mrs. Lewis received the card herself. Her son returned to Canada on Jan. 18, 1944, after serving overseas for five years.

HAS OPERATION

Barbara Kirbyson, eight-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kirbyson, Newmarket, underwent an operation for appendicitis at York County hospital on Saturday morning. She is getting along nicely.

Council Passes By-Laws For Arena, Hydro Contract

Newmarket town council gave third reading to the by-law authorizing the issuance of debentures for \$16,000 to purchase the Newmarket Memorial Arena Monday night.

The by-law had been read twice at previous council meetings, following which it was taken to Toronto for the approval of the department of municipal affairs and then the approval of the municipal board. The copy of the by-law presented to council by Mr. Mathews, bore the approval of both agencies.

The by-law authorizes the issuance of debentures over a period of eight years.

"This is a milestone in the progress of the town," commented Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales after the third reading. "The members of this council will be able to look back on a worthy task."

Following the third reading of the arena by-law, council gave three readings to the hydro by-law, authorizing the town to enter into contract with the Ontario Hydro Commission effective April 25 of this year.

The commission refused to renew the contract it has had with Newmarket, insisting that the town become a commission town with its electricity administered by the commission instead of by a committee of council.

St. Andrew's Church Has 111th Anniversary Sunday

By W. I. McELWAIN Presbyterianism had early beginnings in Newmarket. The records are inadequate and quite insufficient to give us definite dates. The first clear record of an organization is dated 1834. Representatives of the congregation of Newmarket met with the representatives of King, and made application to the General Assembly of the Established church of Scotland for a minister. The Assembly responded by sending Rev. Henry Gordon who arrived in 1834 and who was duly inducted as pastor of the two congregations.

In 1836 the Newmarket church erected the first building, a brick church on the north side of Timothy St. west, about opposite "the elm tree." The church was called St. Andrew's. The subscription list passed through the congregation raised about \$2,270. The population of the town at this time was 1,200. During the rebellion of 1837 the church was used as a detention camp.

The second Presbyterian congregation, probably sponsored by the Free Church of Scotland, was organized some years later. They worshipped in a rough-cast building on Garbutt Hill, on a lot at the corner of Prospect and Water Sts., now occupied by the home of Miss Widdifield. This group prospered and soon outgrew its accommodations. Then a move was made to unite this congregation with the one on Timothy St.

This move was successful. The united congregation proceeded to build a new church on the present site. It was dedicated in 1875; only minor repairs have been needed to preserve the building down to 1945.

From 1807-1940 only four ministers occupied the pulpit of St. Andrew's: Rev. H. F. Thomas, 1807-1821; Rev. A. J. Mann, 1821-1825; Rev. C. K. Nicol, 1825-1827; and Rev. D. McIntyre, 1827-1940. In 1925 the congregation decided to remain Presbyterian by a vote of 134 to 89. The minority group, including the minister, entered the United Church of Canada.

Since 1940, there has been no minister duly inducted in St. Andrew's. Rev. J. A. Koffend served as stated supply from 1941-1943. Mr. W. I. McElwain, affiliated with Knox College, Toronto, has occupied the pulpit since March, 1944.

At the annual meeting of the congregation in January, a most favorable financial situation was revealed. With all accounts paid, there was a balance of \$270. During the year the mortgage was reduced, all tax obligations were removed, and repairs amounting to over \$200 were made to church and manse. The women's organizations raised \$915.

The 70th anniversary of the dedication of the present church building is being observed this Sunday. Rev. James Ferguson, B.A., of St. Andrew's church, Barrie, will preach at both services. Mr. Ferguson is a young man, and is well known as an excellent preacher. The choir will sing special music, assisted by two guest soloists.

IMPROVES

E. H. Adams, Newmarket barber, who has been ill in York County hospital for the past week, is getting along nicely.

CIRCULATION for three months ended Dec. 30, 1944 NEWMARKET 1,120 TRADING AREA 1,129 OTHERS 860 (INCLUDES 409 HALF-PRICE SOLDIERS' SUBSCRIPTIONS) TOTAL PAID 3,219

"A vocational department at Newmarket high school is absolutely necessary if Newmarket is to maintain a first class secondary school," A. N. Belugin told Newmarket town council Monday night. "The high school board is unanimous in its decision to seek such a department as soon as possible."

Mr. Belugin appeared before council as representative of the high school board to explain the board's request to the council that the council issue debentures for the construction of a vocational wing for the Newmarket high school.

"The reason the board is so anxious to have the vocational wing is that seven years ago we were approached by the provincial department of education to have a vocational wing constructed," said Mr. Belugin. "It was in the nature of an experiment and Newmarket school had been chosen because of its excellent record. We were voted down at the time. Since then, other centres have tried a vocational training as part of their secondary school curriculum and report immense successes."

"Port Perry has a thriving school which includes vocational training and agriculture among its subjects. Their attendance has increased enormously. I am told that the vocational classes in Aurora high school are the most popular."

"I have a letter here from the department of education in Toronto in which it is stated the department will take over 75 percent of the capital cost of a vocational department. The letter also states, and I emphasize this, that a vocational wing such as we propose would not give a complete training to returned men. For that, they would have to go to Toronto. However, returned men would be able to attend night classes and gain a grounding in the subjects that would be taught there, subjects which include shop-work, motor mechanics, draughting and so on."

"Our point of view is that returned men who want to start to work right away could do so and get this training at night." Mr. Belugin then showed a letter from the architects in which it was stated that the estimated cost for the building alone would be \$30,000 allowing for increases in building costs. Mr. Belugin stated that he estimated the cost of equipment at \$6,000.

Mr. Belugin continued: "As things stand now, Newmarket high school is not a first class school such as it was seven years ago. A vocational department means the difference between a first class and second class school. It is impossible to estimate the value that a vocational department would have for students. They would have more chance to choose the subjects in which they are interested and to get practical training while still in school. It would encourage them to stay longer in school. A curriculum to take full advantage of the vocational department would be set up with the students getting their diplomas just the same as in the past."

INJURED IN ACCIDENT

Miss Stella Brown, Highland Ave., Toronto, a former Newmarket resident, was treated in a Toronto hospital yesterday for a knee injury she suffered when two street cars collided in that city.

MR. DUNCAN IS ILL

W. Duncan is ill in St. Michael's hospital, Toronto.

Three-Win March Takes No. 23 To Finals Berth

By BERNIE GANTNER No. 23 made it! By extending their winning streak to three games Tuesday, the pucksters from No. 23 assured themselves of a berth in the final round of the inter-services league play-offs. This second triumph, 12-8, within five days of the expense of Toronto army, did the trick, eliminating the visiting soldiers and giving the camp the right to meet Toronto navy for the district services honours.

The losers kept the blue and gold in check throughout and were only one goal down, 9-8, with three minutes remaining to regulation time. In the endeavor to pull the game out of the fire, the visitors became badly disorganized by the persistent fore-checking of Billy Taylor and Joint McComb. The two stars then ran wild in the last minute to ram in three quick goals, knocking Toronto army's last slim chance for service supremacy out of the window.

Play opened up at a mile-a-minute pace, both goalies tested repeatedly and being called on to make numerous saves. Newmarket tallied first but were down, 3-2, at the end of the first session. In the second period, the locals had a three-goal margin, only to see it erased by a strong Toronto assault. Going into the final, it was 6-6, the tension on both sides at its peak.

Starting the final, McComb and Callanan worked alternately on the Taylor-Guidolin line, an ailment forcing Avison to be used very sparingly. This move paid off dividends. Callanan and McComb potted goals, set up by the clever playmaking of Billy Taylor. Callanan's marker was an outstanding effort. He roared down the right boards, taking Taylor's flat pass in full stride and cleanly beating Worries from about 15 feet out. Minutes later it was McComb banging in Avison's pass-out. Toronto came back with one by Thompson. E. Guidolin put the locals two up again, knocking in Taylor's rebound. Davies reduced that margin to one, setting the stage for the last-minute scoring spurge of Taylor and McComb.

Taylor was leading point-getter with three goals and five assists while durable, hard-rock Joint McComb bagged himself four goals.

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THE 'SPECIAL'

Newmarket high school has published under the editorship of Jack Spillette, the N.H.S. Special, a five-page, mimeographed school paper. The cover page shows the school crest with its motto, Labor Omnia Vincit, and the title of the paper. The page is signed by the artist, L. A. Gibney, and carries the editor's name and that of Robert Spear, consultant.

Editor Spillette describes the purpose of the paper in an editorial on page one. He says in part: "This paper will serve as a souvenir and remembrance of the students' school days, and will also be a means of entertainment. The task of preparing the paper has presented a valuable and interesting experience to all its staff. With so many newcomers in the school this term, the main purpose of the paper is to acquaint them with the school, its activities, and its outstanding characters. It will also be a means of introducing them indirectly to their fellow students and the staff."

Following the editorial is a short story by Pat Long, in the form of an entry in a school girl's diary. The Coming Events column shows that a dance is scheduled Feb. 23 and "Open Night" is March 2. Bill Ewing has celebrated the events of Halloween in a long poem while Stuart Stainton has outlined the sports activities of the senior boys.

Beverly Mount has contributed a poem on a rugby game with Pickering College and M. McSkimming has written of senior girls' sports. Mary Lou Little takes care of the junior girls' athletics.

We suspect that a column headed Local Stuff and signed by O. V. L. has had the widest circulation. O. V. L. has put the finger on the school romances with paragraphs beginning "You know who was seen you know where..."

The last page of the issue is devoted to poetry and includes An Assignment by Sheila Edwards, Around the World by John McSkimming, Dawn by Marion Rose, School Daze by Eileen Jackson, Sleighing by Irene Blunt and Dreaming by R. B. Edwards.

The editor and his staff are to be congratulated on the fine quality of the paper they have published. It is a well-balanced and lively issue. Moreover, the paper has not only brought pleasure to the students but to their parents whose memories of their school papers are brightened and renewed.

VOCATIONAL FACILITIES

Certain advantages of a vocational department to the pupils of Newmarket high school are obvious. There are other advantages, however, which would present themselves only after the department had been in operation for a year or two. The use which might be put to the vocational department facilities by community clubs is one which only actual operation of the department would make clear.

Some idea of what would be in store for pupils, returned men, and the community in general can be had from the architect's plans of the proposed vocational wing for Newmarket high school. The wing would be constructed on the north-east corner of the school building and would have two floors.

The inside dimensions of the ground floor are 34 ft. by 48 ft., an area of 1,700 square feet. At the east end of the ground floor, the architect has placed auto parts including a dismantled engine for the teaching of auto mechanics. At the same end is a forge and sink. On the south side there is a table for electric wiring and a test bench. Near the electric department are facilities for handling sheet metal. On the north side, there are wood lathes, saws and joiners. At the west end, the architect has placed draughting tables and a tool crib.

The second floor would be devoted to teaching home economics. The inside dimensions are 34 ft. by 49 ft., an area of 1,725 square ft. This floor is roughly divided into three departments,

with kitchens at the east end, bedroom and dining-room in the centre, and living-room and sewing room at the west end.

In the kitchens, there are two stoves, refrigerator, and washing machine. The bedroom has bed and dressing tables, the dining-room seats four and has table and sideboard. The living-room has desks and blackboard. The rooms are divided by half-partitions which serve to mark the rooms' limits rather than to enclose them.

ELECTIONS OR NOT

With the probabilities for a general election decidedly fair and becoming warmer, the politically-minded among us are laying plans according to their nature. Some are anticipating a rousing political battle in the old tradition. Others wag their heads in a serious fashion and wonder aloud about the advisability of changing horses in mid-stream.

There are other ways of looking upon the coming election but it seems to us the above examples are most interesting because they illustrate two extremes in attitudes towards politics: politics, as a game, a business, to be indulged for its own sake; and politics, as a formula or rite which in some mysterious way has become the shield and protector of the citizen.

Unquestionably, the voter who sees nothing else in an election but a gladiatorial exhibition, to be followed with the same interest as in an Allan Cup play-off, is hardly an educated citizen. The interest he shows, however, even though inspired only by the sportsman's delight in a good fight, is some guarantee that self-government with free elections will not be replaced by a government that perpetuates itself.

The citizen who regrets an election because it "will harm the war effort," however, is showing a lack of faith in his country and its institutions. An election is costly but a government that has not faced the voters is more costly. The campaign speeches may not be pleasant to all but they are expressions of opinion which are necessary to self-government. Finally, a new government would not necessarily mean a change in war or post-war policies. Canada's policy is to participate to her utmost in the defeat of her enemies and in the construction of a durable peace. A new government might try other means to achieve those ends but its methods would always be subject to the approval of the people.

It is too often forgotten that we, as individual citizens, are equal participants through our representatives in all our government does. The government is subject to the approval or censure of the citizens at election time. If it is not put to this test, it ceases to be the citizens' government but becomes a dictatorship.

What Others Think

CONFISCATION

(By MARY HOLBROOK)

Mr. F. H. Marsh, president of the Bank of Toronto, in a paid advertisement says: "A socialist movement in Canada seeks to take away from the tens of thousands of shareholders their ownership of the banks and vest that ownership in a state monopoly."

Mr. Marsh is confusing the real nature of this institution of private ownership of capital. Men get into the habit of taking for granted the morality of existing institutions, just as many good men for years approved of slavery or religious persecution. Let there be no mistake about it, we socialists advocate the expropriation of the capitalist class, the deprivation of their present way of living; and the organization of the wealth producing activities of the nation, by the nation for the benefit of all the citizens. This is what our opponents describe as confiscation and robbery but which we socialists believe to be putting an end to confiscation and robbery, to poverty and its attendant miseries.

If, as the C.C.F. seeks to insure, this change is to be brought about by peaceful development in the ordinary course of political action, there will be a transition period during which various adjustments and accommodations will be made. But beyond that transition period, our proposal must be judged by the end it has in view and that is the wiping out of exclusive property rights.

We do not intend to rob people of their savings. We are fighting, on the contrary, to safeguard them in the possession and enjoyment of their earnings and their savings. What Socialism would deprive them of is a particular method of using their savings which is detrimental to the national life—the method of acquiring power over other men's lives.

To put an end to this is not confiscation but the prevention of confiscation.

BARBERRY ERADICATION

By W. M. Cockburn, Newmarket, Secretary, York C.L.A.

The following address was given at the annual meeting of the Ontario Crop Improvement Association in Toronto, Feb. 6:

First of all, let me explain that we refer in this paper to the eradication of that six to nine or ten-foot high shrub known as common barberry with its green leaves and the purple-leaved variety of it. The name "common" is perhaps somewhat misleading now that the harmless Japanese barberry used for low hedges and ornamental planting is much more common than that called common barberry.

In 1939 Prof. J. E. Howitt of the botanical department of the U.C. published a very concise circular, No. 49, on the subject assigned to me. In this he explains how this shrub acts as an intermediate host (or incubator and brooder combined) to multiply the stem rust spores in their life cycle between the rust-infected straw of last year's crop and this year's growing grain. In 1904, Denmark led the way with legislation to eradicate the common barberry and its success induced other countries to follow suit including Sweden, Germany, Belgium, Holland, France, Spain, Italy, Austria, Czechoslovakia, Hungary and England. By 1917 the U.S.A. took it up and over a dozen states have carried on campaigns. Here in Canada the three prairie provinces passed legislation and in Ontario the Barberry Eradication Act as amended in 1941. Regulation 32 of this act states that no person shall grow, sell or have on their premises any plants of the common barberry shrub of either varieties as this species acts as a host for the fungus which causes the disease known as wheat rust.

With this legislation to support us why should we permit this pest, which in most cases has escaped from cultivation, to sabotage our cereal crops to the extent of hundreds of thousands, if not millions of dollars yearly. Apparently hundreds of farmers continue to bury their heads in the sand and presume nothing can be done about the stem rust on their cereals, while others grow stem rust-resistant varieties. Here I would point out that this is only to be recommended in areas where stem rust only is prevalent. Unfortunately, we have not as yet varieties of barley and fall wheat resistant to this rust.

In 1940, with the co-operation of the soil survey fieldman of the soils department, we located a few scattered bushes of common barberry in York county and the county board agreed that their corn borer inspectors should be asked to watch for the barberry also, since both come under the act which authorizes their appointment.

In May, 1941, these inspectors were invited to the annual meeting of our municipal weed inspectors in our office when we took them all out to see some barberry bushes so they would be able to identify them when making their rounds. The corn borer inspectors were supplied with several copies of circular No. 49 to leave with any farmers found to have barberry and our office was notified. When the inspections were completed, we made an appointment to go with each of the six inspectors to check on the barberry found in his district and discuss its eradication with the owner or tenant of the farm or urban premises.

We discovered that the Newmarket area in the centre of the county had been famous for years as a "rust area" but this had been accepted as a necessary evil. In 1941, with a small power sprayer mounted on a trailer behind a tractor, we sprayed approximately 600 bushes, mostly on three adjoining lots with Stephen weed killer. A perfect kill was obtained where we got a good coverage by spraying till all the leaves dripped and then saturating the crown. A few isolated bushes were killed with salt placed in a six-inch band around the crown. This method is slower, taking possibly three weeks to kill, depending on moisture, whereas the weed killer shows up in 24 to 48 hours and incidentally, is not easily washed off with rain.

We are checking up on these places each year as young plants are coming up from seed. It is difficult to locate all the barberry in urban centres but we have found that those premises where there has been considerable landscape work done, such as on the larger residential lots and country estates of city residents, have had more barberry bushes. Sometimes the well-to-do owner has questioned the matter of removing or destroying his prized shrubs. So far there have been no exceptions made and we appreciate the willingness of owners to remove this menace to our crops.

In lawns we have advised removal of as much of the root system as possible by digging and leaving the spot in soil so that the lawn mower will cut any suckers that might come up. Spraying on lawns is liable to kill a considerable area of grass unless covered. On one college campus about 25 bushes were found in a border amongst the shrubbery. Here we had the bushes cut down and the crown saturated with the weed killer spray. It proved to be 100 percent effective. In a few cases a small quantity, perhaps a pound, of the dry sodium chlorate was put around the crown of the bush, first turning back the sod to allow the chemical to more quickly penetrate to the root system. For scattered bushes or "redouching" a larger job we used a knapsack sprayer.

With respect to the spray we used the rates recommended for brush and perennial weeds, using on an average approximately one gallon of spray per bush. Perhaps less might have done but we preferred to have a reasonable margin of safety. The spraying of a 400-rod hedge in the Lake Wilcox area was paid for jointly by the township council and the owner at a cost to each of \$25 and on Aug. 20 following the spraying I received a letter from this farmer stating that this was the first year he had harvested a crop of wheat almost free from rust. We found that there were still a few barberries around the cottages at the lake, which had to be done the following year.

In these areas where barberry is being located we are recommending only varieties of oats resistant to the stem rust and we find that Vanguard and Ajax are

TO THE EDITOR

The Editor, The Era and Express: I just received a copy of the old town paper and it sure was a welcome piece of news. I was surprised to see my name mentioned as one of the boys who was in France. I have been there nearly six months and I will sure be glad to get a spot of leave and visit England. It has been a year now since I have had any. I received a parcel and some smokes from the Newmarket Veterans and I was really in need of them. Cigarets are a gift from heaven to the boys in France.

If you see Bert Budd in your travels, give him my best regards and tell him that I'm still taking photos but the things we photograph are a lot different and sometimes very unfriendly.

The war looks good and we are all pushing hard to get it finished this year. I don't mind France but Canada looks a darn sight better. My wife and family have moved to Sutton West now, so I imagine that when this war is over I will be visiting good old Newmarket a lot.

Thanks again for your swell paper, the boys all read it. A paper from Canada is a paper from home to us.

Give my regards to everyone and if you manage to bump into my sister, Mrs. Elmer Brown, tell her you heard from her little brother. Au revoir,

Cpl. A. G. Townsley.
Editor's note: The Era and Express is sent to Cpl. Townsley by the town of Newmarket.

almost completely immune to it. However, in the Lake Wilcox area there are a great many buckthorn hedges and scattered buckthorn bushes around the lake shore. In this district we have endeavored to clean up the barberry first and recommend Erban oats to resist the leaf rust which has the buckthorn as an intermediate host.

Barberry eradication requires continuous vigilance to locate bushes in lawns, lanes, fence rows, pastures and woodlots, but I do feel from our experience in York county that a concerted, province-wide program should be developed because of the spores being carried for miles by the wind. Furthermore, the seeds are carried by birds and while nurseries are not permitted to sell common barberry, innocent people bring in bushes from friends they had visited in other districts. In our own county one of the worst sections was the summer resort area where the shrubs had apparently been brought from the cottagers' urban homes. Might I suggest a program for the eradication of common barberry, so successful in Europe.

THE COMMON ROUND

By ISABEL INGLIS COVILLE

TYPES

We are apt to talk glibly about types, "this or that is the type of thus and so;" "this person runs true to type;" and so on; and, of course there are types and types. Moses was a type of what God intended the Israelites to be—strong, adventurous, law-abiding—but above all, God-fearing. They were to put Jehovah's will first and as long as they did so, they would prosper.

Christ came as the prototype of what Christians could and should be. He lived in a time of barbarities as great in proportion as that in which we live and yet His spirit was tranquil and unafraid—untouched by outward events. He cleansed the diseased minds and bodies, and ministered to the diseased souls with which He came in contact; He faced danger without fear and met death heroically. He was, as someone has since wrote, the only real Christian who ever lived.

The Pharaohs, the Roman emperors and the Greek philosophers were all types on which their peoples modelled themselves—nearly all were cruel; many were clever and a few really great, as the records of their work bear witness—and the words of some, rich in wisdom, are with us to this day.

Napoleon was the prototype of all these men who since his time have sought power in high places at the expense of, or because of, the credulity of the vast mass of people.

And now we have come to a time of great leaders again and in a strange and spectacular way they surely are true types of their countries—and this even in appearance.

Take Mr. Churchill: the bull dog tenacity, the quick acceptance of facts and the spirit which refuses to accept defeat which has characterized the British people in this war and surely typified in Mr. Churchill. Unlike leaders who SOUGHT power, he promised his people nothing but "blood, sweat and tears". So, when these things had to be faced, the people were prepared. They had been led astray by no promises of an early or easy victory so they were armed against disappointment and faced the future with no illusions.

Just as truly is Mr. Roosevelt typical of the best that is in his countrymen. His courage was shown long before he became a world power. He fought infantile paralysis as if it were an enemy and although scarred in the battle, he emerged victorious. He exemplifies the adventurous, courageous and liberty-loving force which has made America the power she is. And perhaps Stalin, more even than the other two, represents the great mass of the common people of Russia.

He knew what the peasants' lives were; he knows what it is to be a fugitive. He has courage, hard common sense with touches of brilliancy, a mind which refuses to

be deflected from its purpose and an indifference to the way that purpose is obtained which could not flourish in a democracy. But he has done great things for his people and will probably do more.

General de Gaulle is as typically French as Mr. Churchill is English. The fine intellect, sensitivity to outside interference, adamant determination that France shall rise to her full stature, all speak of France at her best.

Chiang Kai Chek is, as are all orientals, inscrutable to western minds. But he seems held back by some deep-rooted love of the old ways, from bringing into being in China reforms and democratic ideals to which his intellect subscribes.

Perhaps once rid of the Japanese menace his peacetime philosophy will implement his promises. That Hitler, Himmler and Goebbels typify the WHOLE German people is a terrible indictment.

That they are representative of a large number, we know. Till their domination is removed we can only hope that some remnant of the people have preserved decency and sanity.

We often hear it said that a nation can rise no higher than its citizens and this is true as far as it goes, for by you and I Canada would be judged if we were among other peoples and the united voices of people like you and I will eventually make or mar Canada.

But there is also this to consider. A nation seldom rises above its leaders. Our king, Mr. Churchill and Mr. Roosevelt are all God-fearing men of high ideals. It's up to us not to let them down. Our path is up!

HOW IT ALL STARTED

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25 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files Feb. 20, 1920

A storm and drifting snow made Sunday the worst day we have had this winter for the railroads.

The officers and teachers of the Methodist Sunday-school had a supper and business meeting in the school room last night.

Earle Toole, Newmarket, won first prize in the fifth annual public speaking contest held under the auspices of the Junior Farmers' Improvement Association of York County, which took place in Victoria Hall, Thornhill, last Tuesday. His subject was, "Why a young man should not leave the farm." Wm. Birde, Newmarket, won second prize, Frank Williams, Newmarket, third, Bert Kane, Gormley, fourth, and Ross Ratcliffe, Stouffville, fifth.

Two sleigh-loads of young people of the Christian church went to Frigate's last week end, the Officers of the Presbyterian Sunday-school met on Friday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. F. Thomas. During the evening, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Beale were presented with a pair of gold cuff links and a leather purse. Mr. and Mrs. Beale are moving to Brandon, Man., next month.

H. D. Ramond, ex-recrue of East Gwillimbury, has been chosen inspector of the York County Children's Aid Society.

was \$6,812 and \$7,047.10 was collected. The Presbyterian church is only \$100 short of its objective of \$2,500.

Miss VanEvery's house on Huron St. has been sold to Wm. Chadwick.

50 YEARS AGO

From The Era and Express files, Feb. 22, 1895

For this time of year, the market last Saturday was exceptionally large. Butter was plentiful and sold for 14 cents to 17 cents a pound. Fresh eggs were 25 cents a dozen. Turkeys brought from eight cents to 11 cents a pound. Geese were six cents a pound. Chickens went as high as 60 cents a pair. Beef was from \$4 to \$5.75 per hundredweight. Potatoes were 40 cents a bag.

Mrs. Gilchrist, Toronto Junction, president of the county union of the W.C.T.U. visited the Industrial Home last Tuesday. She was accompanied by several of the Female Ribbon Ladies from Newmarket. Each inmate was given an orange. In the evening Mrs. Gilchrist addressed members of the union at the residence of C. M. Hughes.

The ice harvest has been an abundant and nearly everyone has their supply stored. There was more ice taken from Rescor's pond this year than ever before.

Among the orders that are being filled at Cane's factory just now is one for a carload of croquisole boards. Large quantities of basswood are being shipped here from Angus for special manufacturing

purposes. Capt. Allan, Sr., had his hand badly burned at the foundry recently.

Another professional man is in town. Dr. Hutt has spent 14 months in the hospitals of London, Berlin and Vienna. He was house surgeon at the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto, for four months before coming to Newmarket.

The meeting of the central committee of the North York Reform Association, held in the Temperance Hall on Saturday, was well attended. Arrangements were made to hold a grand mass meeting at Bradford in the near future to elect a candidate for the next dominion parliament.

Mr. Marois, the Montreal buyer, shipped 15 horses from here last Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Wilmut Lundy is home from Barrie this week.

WIT AND HUMOR

FATE'S PLAYTHING

"It was grand of you to dive from that height, fully clothed, to effect such magnificent rescue," said the looker-on, patting the hero.

"That's all very well," said the hero, "but what I want to know is—who pushed me in?"

Everybody, sooner or later, cusses an editor, but nobody ever volunteers to do his work for a day.

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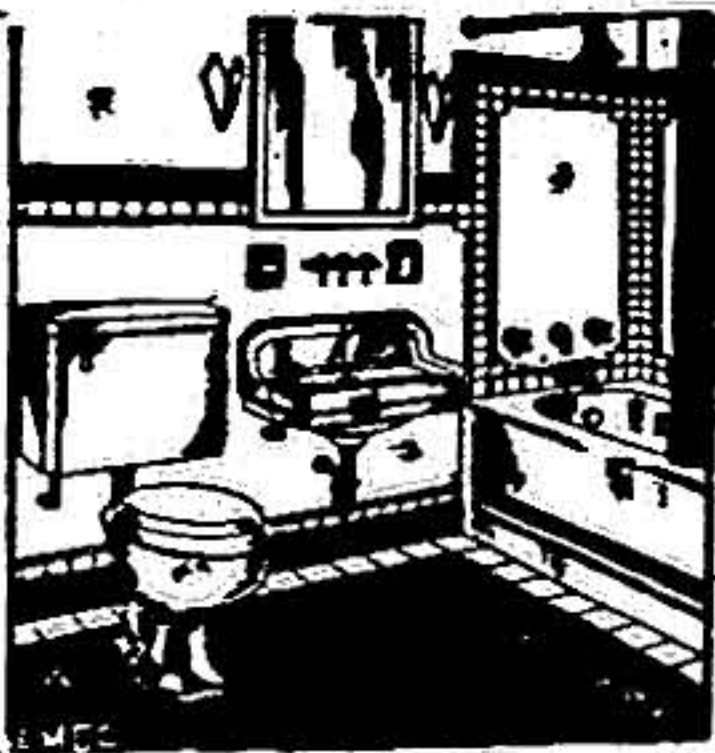
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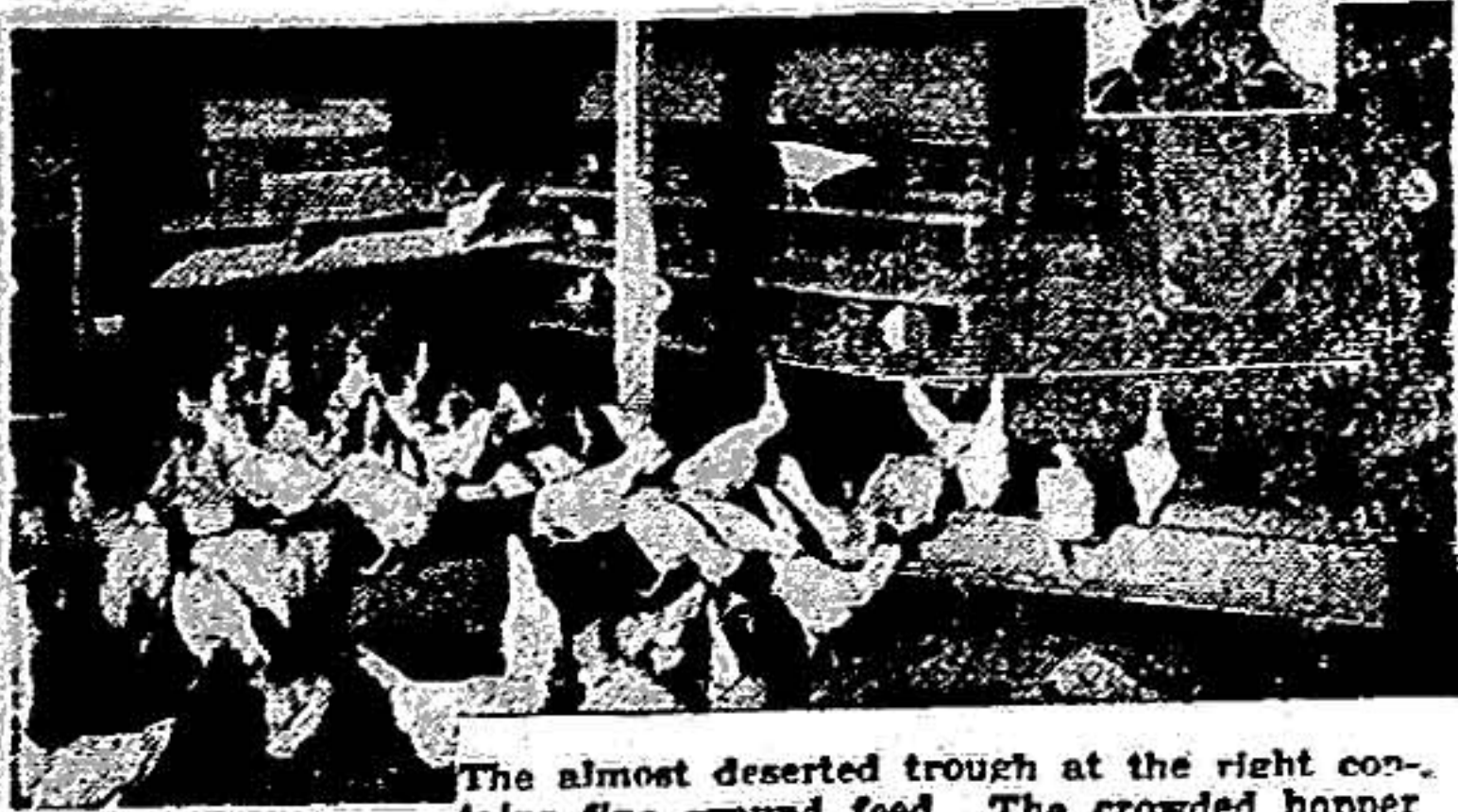
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HOPE

Hope, Feb. 15—The Hope W.A. met at the home of Mrs. A. Dike on Wednesday. Fifteen were present. Mrs. M. L. Pegg entertained at a quilting on Thursday. Dinner guests were: Mrs. A. Dike, Mrs. G. Broderick, Miss M. Fairbairn, Mrs. A. Brenair and Doris, Mrs. E. Pegg and Grace, Mrs. S. Stickwood and Mrs. O. Stickwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pegg and Grace were supper guests on Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. O. Stickwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Stickwood and Patty visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Watts, Holt, on Sunday.

Mrs. Wilmet, Mrs. S. Walker, Mrs. McNern and Mrs. G. Allison spent Monday in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Broderick and Billy, Mount Albert, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Broderick on Sunday.

John Stickwood has returned home after spending three weeks at Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swartz, Woodstock, and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dorland, Larry and Ralph, Newmarket, were dinner guests Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stickwood.

KESWICK

Despite the stormy day there was an overflow crowd in the school room of the United church on St. Valentine's evening when the pupils of Mrs. Harold Pollard gave a piano recital.

Assisting the pupils were Mrs. Lorne Mahoney, Ravenshoe, who contributed humorous readings, and Miss Evelyn King, who sang. William Davidson also entertained with some humorous stories. A silver collection, taken for the overseas boxes sent to North West front line people on active service, brought \$22.60.

The following pupils took part in the recital: Charlene Pollock, Ramon Pollard, Phyllis Draper, Marie Robertson, Penny Jane Stork, Dorothy Smith, June Prosser, Barbara Yeats, Isabel Walker, Mary Morton, Ruth Mary Winch, Pauline Pollock, Alma Baldson, Lois Baldson, Doris Pollock, Helen Stiles and Ruth Stiles.

Marion Smith spent the weekend in Toronto with her sister, Doreen. Mrs. Alvin Pollock, Toronto, was a recent guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Rye.

Rev. Gordon Lapp was away from his pulpit last Sunday but will be in charge of both services next Sunday. In the evening he will continue the series of messages on the book of Revelation.

WILLOW BEACH

Jack Mahoney of the R.C.A.F. is home on leave.

PO Lorne O'Dell, R.C.N.V.R., arrived home last week on a 30-day leave. PO O'Dell is a former Sutton Dairy employee and goalie of Sutton and Jackson Point hockey teams.

A number of members attended the Belhaven W.I. meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 13.

Miss Margaret McEachern visited Mrs. Acil Chapman recently.

The Boys' Comforts club meeting was held at Mrs. Jack Mahoney's on Wednesday, Feb. 13. Fred Graves was presented with a signet ring. Edith Baker, of the C.W.A.C. received a pair of gloves.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Sedore entertained a number of friends after the skating carnival held in Sutton on Friday.

The Era and Express may be purchased in Newmarket at Spillet's, Best's, Bolton's, Campbell's and Bell's.

UNION STREET



LAC Laurie Facey went to the Union Station, Toronto, to meet his war bride, Margaret, from Lancashire, England, last Friday.

Assisting the pupils were Mrs. Lorne Mahoney, Ravenshoe, who contributed humorous readings, and Miss Evelyn King, who sang. William Davidson also entertained with some humorous stories. A silver collection, taken for the overseas boxes sent to North West front line people on active service, brought \$22.60.

Mrs. Melvin Wright is home from York County hospital after an operation and is doing quite nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoover and Mrs. McAlpine, Newmarket, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foster.

Mrs. E. Callendar is doing quite nicely after spending some time in Newmarket under the doctor's care.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Murphy and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Smith, Newmarket.

Mrs. Melvin Travis is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lockie, Zephyr.

QUEENSVILLE

Mrs. Wm. Burkholder is visiting in Toronto this week.

Mrs. Wm. Hayes and Muriel, Toronto, spent a few days last week with Mrs. Robt. Leith.

Mr. N. Gibney visited his son in Toronto over the weekend.

Mrs. Elmer Stickwood spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stickwood, Toronto.

At the St. Valentine carnival at the skating rink last week, prizes were awarded to the following: four, five and six years, Nancy Kavanagh; seven, eight and nine years, Carol Marshall; 10, 11 and 12 years, girls, Edna Castle, Margaret Mainprize, Vienna Cameron; boys, Douglas Smith; 13, 14 and 15 years, Ruth Farr.

Adults, ladies, Mrs. B. Aylward, Gladys Dew, Evelyn Crouch; gentlemen, Lew Irwin, Bill Crouch, Reg Smith. Best skating couples, Bill and Evelyn Crouch, Lew Irwin and Gladys Dew. Best skating couples, junior, Margaret Mainprize and Edna Castle, Douglas Smith and Ruth Farr.

A community night of fun and entertainment will be held in the public school on Friday, Feb. 23, at 8 o'clock, sponsored by the Women's Institute. The evening's entertainment will consist of a short play by the Ravenshoe young people, quartets, solos, readings, community singing, quiz and table games. Lunch will be served. The proceeds will go towards the new wing at York County hospital.

Miss Jean Kavanagh, accompanied by Miss D. Rattle, visited her parents over the weekend.

The Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. Gordon Wilmet on Wednesday, Feb. 28. Roll-call will be answered by a good health hint. Every member will give a current event. Rev. Hugh Shannon will give the address. The hostesses are Mrs. Burkholder, Mrs. E. Strasser and Mrs. W. Hall.

The women's prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Welburn on Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 27, at 2.30.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Sennett and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Sennett and Gloria of Queensville and Miss Margaret Sennett and Miss Olive Sowerby of Toronto attended the anniversary services at Trinity United church, Newmarket, on Sunday, at which the memorial window to the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sennett was unveiled.

POTTAGEVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. James Summer-ville are the parents of a baby boy, born Feb. 12.

Mrs. Bertha Arnold is spending a few days with her cousin, Mrs. R. Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. George West and girls spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Vern Carr, Schomberg.

Mrs. Gower, Toronto, is visiting Mrs. Wm. Burbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wilder and family called on Mrs. Wilder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Groombridge, on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Paton, Toronto, called on Mr. Paton's parents on Sunday.

Mr. Ed O'Brien, Toronto, spent the weekend at his home here.

LOCAL MARKET

On the local market on Friday afternoon butter brought 40 cents a pound. Eggs were 35 and 38 cents a dozen for large, 30 cents for medium and 25 cents for small.

Chickens sold at 35 cents a pound. Apples were 40 cents a six-quart basket.

TORONTO MARKETS

Butter, creamery solids, No. 1, was 35 cents a pound on the Toronto markets on Tuesday. Creamery prints, first grade, were 36½ cents a pound.

Country dealers were quoted as follows on graded eggs, on a cases free, delivered to Toronto basis: Grade A large, 35 to 35½ cents; A medium, 32½ to 33 cents; and A pullets, 27 to 28 cents a dozen.

Nominal prices to the shipper on poultry were: 2 to 2½ pounds, 30 cents a pound; fowl, over 5 pounds, 26 cents a pound; chickens, over 5 pounds, 30 cents a pound.

Weighty steers were \$10.25 to \$13; butcher steers, \$9.50 to \$11.25; heifers, \$11 down; butchers cows, \$7 to \$9; canners and cutters, \$5.50 to \$6.75; bulls, \$7 to \$9; fed yearlings, \$11.50 to \$13.50.

Calves were \$15.50 to \$16.50, with choice common, downward to \$10.

A few good lambs were \$14.75, with common to medium \$9 to \$14.50.

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Bulk—ready cut MACARONI 3 lbs. 15c

Swift's—canned pork loaf PREM 12 oz. tin 29c

Random—choice PUMPKIN 28 oz. tin 12c

Sunlight SOAP 3 reg. bar 17c

Glant RINSO 1 pkg. 47c

VALUES EFFECTIVE THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY, FEB. 22, 23, 24

DOMINION STORES LIMITED

Your **DOMINION** Store

HEDY LAMARR STARS IN THE CONSPIRATORS

Thirty-two contestants sent in correct answers to last week's classified ad contest. Some were late and others were disqualified because more than one entry was received from the same household.

Mrs. Lucy Blair, Mrs. Goring, Mrs. E. C. Johnson, Mrs. Jas. R. Lee, Vincent St., and Orval Smart, all of Newmarket, have the most correct answers to this week's five double passes to the Strand theatre. The non-winning correct answers have been credited.

These five winners have their choice of the program at the Strand theatre either Tuesday, Feb. 27, or Thursday, March 1, Winged Victory with Pte. Lon McCallister, Jeanne Crain and Sgt. Edmond O'Brien, and Minstrel Man are on the Strand program for Tuesday, Feb. 27. Gypsy Wildcat, a technicolor feature starring Nigel Bruce, Maria Montez, Jon Hall, Peter Coe and Leo Carrillo, and The Great Moment, starring Joel McCrea and Betty Field, will be seen on Thursday, March 1. They may pick up their passes any evening at the Strand theatre.

The correct answers were: racquet, approved, capable, gasoline, enamel, prompt, badminton, dictation, remember, around.

THIS WEEK'S CONTEST

Something For The Boys, a technicolor production starring Carmen Miranda, Vivian Blaine, Michael O'Shea and Phil Silvers, and I Live In Fear, on Tuesday, March 6, or The Conspirators, starring Hedy Lamarr, Paul Henreid and Sydney Greenstreet, and She's A Soldier Too, starring Beulah Bondi and Jess Barker, on Thursday, March 8, are offered to this week's five double pass winners.

Entries must reach The Era and Express office by 9.30 Tuesday morning. Only one entry will be accepted from any one household or family and the entry must be in the contestant's own handwriting.

Contestants are asked to send their entries in on a slip of paper two and a half inches by four and a half inches (2½" x 4½").

WRONG NUMBER

Absent Minded Travelling Salesman (calling wife on phone)—Hello, honey. Just arrived in town. How about a little party?

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM JOHN LEPPARD, LATE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EAST GUILDFORD, IN THE COUNTY OF YORK, YEOMAN, DECEASED.

Creditors of the above named deceased who died on or about the 18th day of March, 1944, are hereby notified pursuant to The Trustee Act to send to the undersigned proof of their claims on or before the 26th day of March, 1945, after which date the assets of the estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned will then have notice.

DATED at Newmarket this 21st day of February, 1945.

Mathews, Silver, Lyons and Vale, Newmarket, Ontario, Solicitors for Arthur Leppard, Dora O'Gorman and Violet Robinson MacNaughton, executors.

PUBLIC NOTICE

TOWN OF NEWMARKET
NOTICE OF A PROPOSED BY-LAW FOR STOPPING UP A PORTION OF ELLEN STREET AND FOR SELLING THE SOIL AND FREEHOLD OF THE PORTION OF THE STREET SO STOPPED UP.

TAKE NOTICE that at a meeting of the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the town of Newmarket to be held on Monday, the 19th day of March, 1945, at 8 p.m., consideration will be given by the council to the passing of a proposed by-law to stop up that portion of Ellen Street, in the town of Newmarket, described as follows: All and singular that certain parcels or tract of land and premises, situate, lying and being in the town of Newmarket, in the township of Whitechurch, in the county of York, being composed of that part of Ellen Street south of Andrew Street, lying between lots numbers sixteen (16) and seventeen (17), according to plan registered as number 85 for the town of Newmarket.

At the said meeting the council will hear in person, or by his counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his land will be prejudicially affected by the by-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED at Newmarket this fifteenth day of February, 1945.

Wesley Brooks, Clerk.

SALE REGISTERS

Saturday, March 3—Auction sale of household effects, etc., the property of Geo. D. St. John, the village of Sharon. Sale at 2 p.m. Terms cash. J. F. Kavanagh, auctioneer.

CLASSIFIEDS - PHONE 780

WANTED-AIDS

The rate for "classifieds" is 50 cents for 25 words for one insertion; 45 cents for two insertions; 75 cents for three insertions. For over 25 words, each additional word, one insertion, one cent; additional insertions, one-half cent per insertion. Deduct 25 cents for payment within a week. Ten cents for the use of a box number; ten cents for mailing replies.

2 BUILDINGS FOR SALE

For sale—A pair of a mattle building. Apply Hart's Auto Parts, Wellington St. W., Aurora, phone 261.

4 REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

For sale—Property belonging to estate of A. Ross Evans, consisting of eight acres, more or less, with house and barn attractively situated on Huron St. About 3½ mile west of Main St. and less than five minutes walk to Grey Coach bus on Yonge St. Possession April 1, 1945. Mrs. A. Ross Evans, 53 Botsford St., Newmarket. Phone Newmarket 500.

68 WANTED TO RENT

Wanted to rent—House in Newmarket. Les Beazer, manager Newmarket arena, phone 619. Newmarket.

14 ROOMS WANTED

Wanted to rent—Two or three furnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping. One adult and one child. Phone Newmarket 207. c1w3

Wanted to rent—Two or three rooms, two adults. Write post office box 157, Newmarket. c1w4

17 ARTICLES FOR SALE

For sale—Baby's bathinette table, commode chair with cushion, toilet seat. Apply Era and Express box 912. c1w3

For sale—Coal oil heater. \$7. 99 Park Ave., Newmarket. c1w4

For sale—Sewing machine. Drop head, good condition, reasonable. Repairing done. Parts. Belts. Needles. T. A. Huston, George St., Aurora. c1w4

For sale—Lady's tan, English camel hair coat, size 17; girl's blue spring coat and hat, size 3 years; pair white rubbers, size 7; pair white boots, size 6½; pair white rubber boots, size 9. Phone Newmarket 591w. c1w4

For sale—Beatty washer, electric. Copper tub. In good shape. Old model. \$40. Apply Era and Express box 913. c1w4

For sale—Child's play pen with blue padded mat. \$5.99. Phone Newmarket 193. c1w4

For sale—Man's trench coat, size 36. Worn three times. Price \$5. 35 Niagara St., Newmarket. c1w4

For sale—Bone colored pram, in good condition. Woman's black fur-trimmed coat, size 16. Apply 4 Hamilton St., Newmarket. c1w4

For sale—One Jameaway oil brooder. Complete with pipes. Mrs. John Pinder, Sharon. Phone 412. Queensville. c1w4

For sale—Antique couch and chair, two wicker chairs, wicker, 46" Simmons bed and springs, quart sealers. 41 Park Ave., Newmarket. c1w4

For sale—Boy's three-piece suit, dark grey tweed. Coat, breeches and shorts, size 10, reasonable. Apply 57 Eagle Ave., Newmarket. c1w4

For sale—Walnut dining-room suite, nine pieces. Oak kitchen cabinet, porcelain top. White enamel stove, polished steel top. Simmons bed, sagless springs. Inner spring mattress. 38½ and poles. Other household effects, all like new. 296 Main St., Newmarket. Phone 1621. c1w4

17A PRODUCE

For sale—Fresh eggs. Daily. Apply Leo Ross at Adams Barber Shop, Newmarket. c3w2

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22 HELP WANTED

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Kitchen worker for school near Aurora. Live in; good accommodation. Apply Selective Service, Newmarket. War workers not eligible. t12

HELP WANTED FEMALE

Maid for school near Aurora. Live in, good accommodation. Apply Selective Service, Newmarket. t12

23 WORK WANTED

Help wanted—A capable girl for housework, starting around March 1. Write P.O. box 561, Newmarket. c2w3

Help wanted—Office girl with some knowledge of bookkeeping. Apply National Selective Service Office, Newmarket. c1w4

23 WORK WANTED

Work wanted—Shovelling snow, carrying out ashes, waxing floors and general cleaning. 12 Ontario St. E. or P.O. box 118, Newmarket. c1w4

24 LOST

Lost—Lady's black leather purse. On Botsford St. or Lorne Ave. Monday evening. Reward. Finder please return to 75 Botsford St., Newmarket. c1w4

Lost—Brown cocker spaniel. Reward. Phone 641, Newmarket. c1w4

Lost—Lady's yellow gold wrist watch. Certina. On Monday evening, Feb. 19. Reward. Phone Newmarket 349. c1w4

25 FOUND

Found—Screwdriver, by police station last Friday. Phone 429w. Newmarket. c1w4

27 FARM ITEMS

Urgent—To secure your supply of Shur-Gain fertilizer order now. It is put up in five-ply moisture resistant bags. Other people are ordering, why not you? Phone Queensville 3000. Don P. Smith, your Shur-Gain dealer. c5w3

Wanted to buy—Good, bated hay. W. C. McCallum, Holland Landing, phone Newmarket 438w3. t11

27A IMPLEMENTS

For sale—Coal burning brooder stove, hover 36 inches in diameter. Good condition. Phone 912, Newmarket. c1w4

28 LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

For sale—One young Yorkshire sow from registered stock. Due Feb. 27. T. C. Wray, Newmarket. c3w3

28A LIVESTOCK WANTED

Wanted to buy—A good, light driving horse. Apply B. O'Leary, Holland Landing. c2w3

29 POULTRY FOR SALE

For sale—1945 chick buyers. We are in a position to offer you a higher quality chick than last season in the following straight breeds: Barred Rocks, New Hampshire, White Leghorn, Hybrids: Barred Rock and New Hampshire, New Hampshire and Barred Rock, Light Sussex and New Hampshire. Day-old cockerels in good supply for February, March and early April delivery. A 10 percent deposit books your order now to secure the best available date. J. A. Parker, phone 657, Newmarket. t143

Washing machines and radios repaired. Lewis Coombs, north Main St., Newmarket, phone Newmarket 612. c5w2

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For sale—Dry, body hardwood. First class assortment dry stove wood, consisting of birch, elm, ash, cedar, poplar. Delivered. Apply I. G. Arnold, Queensville, phone 3100. c6w1

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Early hatched Hillside chicks mature to catch the higher priced markets for eggs and poultry. So we say, order now. Save time. Contact agent here. They're from bloodstock breeders, Government Approved Hatchery, and are the standby of many successful poultry-keepers. Chas. M. Sedore, Queensville. c1w4

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The minister and members of the official board of Trinity United church wish to thank all who contributed of time, talent, money, materials and furnishings for the new recreation room which was officially opened by Mr. Andrew Davis last Monday evening.

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We wish to extend our deep appreciation and heartfelt thanks for the acts of kindness, messages of sympathy, spiritual and floral offerings received from our kind friends and neighbors during the illness and death of our dear sister, Minnie Doyle. The Doyle family.

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I wish to convey my thanks for the kindness, good wishes, flowers and gifts received during my recent illness. Especially I wish to thank the nurses of York County hospital and Dr. G. E. Case. Mrs. Myrinda Allen, 15 Court St., Newmarket.

THE PERFECT PLEASANT-TASTING HEALTH-GIVING TONIC
USE THUNA'S PICK-UP TONIC

It imparts pep to the stomach, stimulating digestive juices, improves appetite, wakes up liver checks the sluggish action of the intestines, makes you happy, helps the blood circulation, makes you tingle with life and glad to be alive. 75 cents, \$1.50. Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket.

For rent—Hospital beds and wheel chairs. Theaker & Son, Mount Albert, or phone Mount Albert 3503. t152

For sale—Trusses, surgical supports, elastic hosiery, for those who suffer from varicose veins, ankle and knee troubles. Arch supports. Lumbago belts. Best's Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket.

Doctors claim
DISEASED ENLARGED TONSILS

Lead to many complaints. Use Thuna's pink tablets for the nose and throat. For strengthening the throat; dropping of mucous discharge; sensation of a lump in the throat; bad taste in the mouth. They help build resistance against colds, clear the voice and give better bodily health. \$1, \$1.75, \$2.50. Obtained from The Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket, Ont.

Wanted—Dead horses and cattle, for free pick-up. Phone Newmarket 79. We pay phone charges. Gordon Young Ltd., Toronto, phone AD3555. c5w50

Wanted—Cats (full grown) and dogs (small adults only). For essential war research. Troyer Natural Science Service, Oak Ridge, phone King 3732. c13w49

BAXTER'S SEEDS
Better service and value. Buy early. Send name for catalogue. Ready early in March. We sell everything that grows. 3359 YONGE ST., TORONTO HU 9853 t173

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CHURCHES

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25TH

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Water and Eagle Sts.
Minister—W. L. McPherson
11 a.m.—THE VICTORIOUS CHURCH
7 p.m.—ASK FOR THE OLD PATHS

Guest preacher at both services: REV. JAMES FERGUSON, B.A. Minister of St. Andrew's Church, Barrie.

Special music by the choir
Mrs. J. A. Koffend, Organist
Guest Soloists
11 a.m.—Miss Gwen Lambert
7 p.m.—Miss Jean Davis

You are invited to join with us on this special occasion. Former members and friends especially invited

FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Rev. L. E. Sparks, Minister
Miss June Haines, Organist
Friday, Feb. 23, 8 p.m.—Five members of the district Y.P. council from Toronto will be in charge of the Young People's meeting. Don't miss it!

Sunday
10 a.m.—Sunday-school
11 a.m.—GIVEN TONGUES AS OF FIRE—Continued in series from Acts, chapter 2
7 p.m.—THE GREATEST QUESTION OF ALL AGES
A Warm Welcome To All

NEWMARKET GOSPEL TABERNACLE

Associated Gospel Churches of Canada
12 Millard Ave.
9.50 a.m.—Sunday-school
11 a.m.—Morning worship
7 p.m.—Evangelistic service

DOUGLAS SOPHER
Port Credit

NEWMARKET PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE

In affiliation with the Pentecostal Assembly of Canada
Pastor H. A. Johnston
3 p.m.—Sunday-school
7 p.m.—Evangelist, Clifford Bell-smith, Cobourg, will speak.

Wed., 8 p.m.—Missionary meeting.
Fri., 7.30 p.m.—Children's meeting.
"Repent ye therefore, and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out, when the times of refreshing shall come from the presence of the Lord;" Acts 3: 19.

Come And Bring A Friend
A Welcome Awaits You

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

REV. ALEXANDER B. STEIN
Pastor
MRS. J. E. CANE
Organist
11 a.m.—"THE MASTER'S CALL"
2.30 p.m.—Sunday-school
7 p.m.—STRAIGHT ON TO VICTORY

FREE METHODIST CHURCH

REV. G. H. BACHE, Pastor
Phone 168w
10 a.m.—Sunday-school
11 a.m.—Morning worship
6.30 p.m.—Pre-service of prayer
7 p.m.—Evangelistic service
Old Time Methodism still lives
Everybody Welcome

THE SALVATION ARMY

14 Queen St. W.
Captain and Mrs. Arthur Robinson
We have
ROOM TO LET
You come in and hear the TWO LADY PREACHERS
Sat., 8.15 p.m.—Prayer and praise service
Sun., 11 a.m.—Holiness service
3 p.m.—Sunday-school
7 p.m.—Evangelistic service
Come and hear
Major I. Fowler and Captain Mary Murkin
Preach and Sing the Gospel

ST. PAUL'S ANGLICAN CHURCH

Rectory: Rev. G. H. Johnson, M.A., D.D.
Second Sunday in Lent
8.30 a.m.—Holy Communion
11 a.m.—Shortened morning prayer and Holy Communion
2.30 p.m.—Sunday-school
7 p.m.—Evening prayer and sermon: "THE WAY THE MASTER WENT," II, His Temptation

FREE BIBLE COURSE

Thirty wonderful lessons explaining Bible truths and prophecies sent you by mail absolutely free. Over 10,000 have enrolled. Twentieth Century Bible Course, Box 212, Ottawa, Ont. c3w3

Holles, husband of Lillian Gillespie Johnston, in his 71st year.

The funeral service was held in All Saints' Anglican church, King, Wednesday afternoon. Interment King cemetery.

Infant—At Toronto General hospital, on Thursday, Feb. 15, John Infante, aged 64 years, husband of Mary Infante, R. R. 2, Newmarket, father of Catherine (Mrs. Dragan) and Christina (Mrs. Sedore), R. R. 2, Newmarket.

Regimental mass was held at St. Patrick's church, Toronto, on Saturday morning. Temporary interment Newmarket cemetery.

Mortuary—Sunday, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Conroy, Windsor, on Saturday, Feb. 17, 19

WHITCHURCH TEN SCHOOL SECTIONS FOUND LACKING FUNDS

As a result of the recent change in the act requiring municipal auditors to audit the books of every school section within their municipality, Auditor R. E. Andrew told Whitchurch council Saturday that ten of the 12 school sections in the municipality failed to levy sufficient funds to meet expenditures in 1944.

Some of the councillors said this was one of the "bugs" in favor of township school areas of which 60 were added in the province last year.

"What is your solution for this condition in our township?" asked Reeve Leary.

"I think each section should have a permanent secretary," replied Mr. Andrew, who stated that the common practice is to appoint the senior trustee as secretary irrespective of that individual's ability to keep records as they should be kept. When a trustee is beginning to learn what is required of him, a new man comes in and so the position can be filled with unskilled help all the time, he stated.

The auditor also said that only two schools in the township would draw more than 50 percent government grant as only two sections have an assessment of less than \$8,000. Most of the sections will receive 50 percent, he said.

School costs have been steadily mounting with increased salaries to teachers, increased caretaking charges and other incidentals, he said.

Total deficit for 1944 of those sections which did not levy enough to meet their obligations for the year will total around \$2,600, the report indicated. The deficits ran from \$56.50 to as high as \$481.

An expression of sympathy was unanimously voted Clerk John Crawford who was seriously burned in an accident and a hope expressed that he may soon be sufficiently recovered to enable him to resume his duties again. Mr. Crawford is making good recovery and expects to be in his office very soon.

Snow removal for January cost the municipality \$2,678, half of which is recoverable from the department of highways. Relief accounts for three indigent patients were slightly over \$70.

In the absence of the clerk, Councillor L. J. Harper read the correspondence and took the minutes of the meeting. Councillor Ed Logan was absent.

WHITCHURCH Open Road As Farmers Complain To Council

A deputation of farmers from the five townships charged discrimination against their road in the matter of snow plowing. They pointed out that the plow had been up and down the sixth concession eight times but the fifth remained blocked. They told council it was time somebody accepted responsibility for the state of affairs, since the road superintendent said he didn't know this was going on and that he couldn't do much about it.

The council promised to see that the situation was remedied and the group retired to find on their return that the plow had been removing the offending snow from their concession. Too bad it wasn't done before, said one farmer when he learned his concession was open again to traffic.

RETURNED SOLDIER WEDS AURORA GIRL

A pretty wedding took place in Aurora on Jan. 11 when Miss Muriel (Billie) Cluhine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Cluhine, Aurora, and Richard John Beamish, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Beamish, Blue Spruce Lodge, Lake Wilcox, were united in marriage. Rev. Roy Hicks officiated.

Given in marriage by Mayor Ross Linton, the bride was attired in a turquoise ensemble accented with brown and carried pink roses and forget-me-nots. Mrs. Linton attended the bride.

Before the couple left on a wedding trip, guests were received at the home of the bride's parents. For travelling the bride wore a brown topcoat over her wedding costume.

The young couple will reside in Aurora.

The groom has just returned from overseas where he served for three years with the Queen's Own Rifles.

WITH THE FORCES

Mrs. Bill Watson has received word from her husband, Pte. Bill Watson, who is overseas.

Pte. Norman Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott, recently underwent a serious operation in a Toronto military hospital. He is progressing favorably.

LAC Heath Hamilton has been transferred from Jarvis to Trenton.

Pte. Howard Patten-Jen, Hamilton, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Patten-Jen.

Flt.-Sgt. Douglas Knowles, Hagersville, spent the weekend at his home.

LAC Walter Long, Birch, Ont., spent the weekend at his home.

Tpr. George Dewsbury, Camp Borden, has been transferred to an eastern Canada centre.

LAC Herb McKenzie, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Lieut.-Col. C. R. Boulding, C.O. of London military hospital, has been awarded the Canadian Efficiency Medal.

Capt. L. R. Marwood, a practising physician at Thornhill in peacetime, is now with Canadian troops in Belgium.

Pte. Jimmy Ranson, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Ranson, spent the weekend at his home.

Pte. Alan Stephenson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Levergne Stephenson, has been posted to Camp Borden.

Major Gerry Goodman, auxiliary services officer, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Stoker Gordon Stephenson returned to duty on the east coast this week after spending three weeks' leave with his mother, Mrs. Sam Stephenson.

Cpl. Gardner Lloyd, Queen's Own Rifles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lloyd, celebrated his fourth overseas birthday on Wednesday.

Over 100 Aurora ladies attended the World Day of Prayer services in Aurora United church last Friday.

A hymn festival, with "Onward Christian Soldiers" as the theme for Canon F. J. Fife's sermon, was held in Trinity Anglican church on Sunday evening.

Aurora Boy Scouts and Girl Guides will attend divine service at Aurora United church next Sunday as part of the Scout-Guide week.

James McGhee, Newmarket, was the soloist at last Sunday's meeting of Aurora Men's Bible class in Aurora Baptist church.

The W.H.O. class of Aurora United church met on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Fry.

The weekly meeting of the Whitchurch township union prayer meeting was held at the home of Rev. E. Clark, Newmarket, on Monday evening.

The Y.P.U. class of Aurora United church is holding open house night in the church parlors following the evening service on Sunday.

A panel discussion on vocational training and choosing a vocation was a popular subject at Monday evening's meeting of Aurora United church Y.P.U. Leading the discussion were three members of the Aurora high school staff, Principal J. H. Knowles, Miss Aileen Belyea and Wilfred Adams. Charles McNaught was in charge of the program.

WIN DOUBLEHEADER

St. Andrew's College basketball teams won a double-header from Upper Canada College in Toronto last week. The seniors won out 33-20 and the juniors took a 23-15 decision.

BOWLING PARTY

Around 15 members of the Aurora board of trade held a bowling party in Toronto last Wednesday. Walter Milgate and H. M. McKenzie convened the event.

SON IS PRISONER OF WAR

Word has been received that Sgmn. Robert Kerr, Montreal, son of Leslie Kerr, formerly of Aurora, who was reported missing in January of this year, is a prisoner of war in Germany. Sgmn. Kerr was a frequent visitor to Aurora. He is a nephew of Mrs. N. F. Johnson.

MOTHER DIES

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several times for his operational flights and won rapid promotion. Following 33 operational flights over enemy territory he returned on leave to Canada, arriving home in time for Christmas. Early this month he was posted to Camp Borden. At high school he was prominent in athletics and cadet work.

The announcement of the award was made on Friday but no publication of the citation has been made.

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The teams were tied 2-2 going into the last period when Bolton broke loose for two markers. Watson and Atkinson were the College scorers. Dick Henderson of St. Andrew's was referee.

S.A.C.: goal, Murrell; defence, Howson and Davis; centre, Watson; wings, Empringham, Shields; subs, Schofield, Hatch, Atkinson, Rowe, Marshal.

Provide Escort Service
For British War Brides

Complete escort service for British war brides travelling in Canada has been announced by Mrs. Barnston Tudball, Aurora, national commandant of the Red Cross Corps. Mrs. Tudball has just returned from a trip to Halifax, where final arrangements were completed. There are 6,000 girl members of the corps who look after transport, nursing, office and food administration, all under Mrs. Tudball's purview.

Escorts are provided on board ship, four to a ship, to give aid and advice where necessary. In Canada the average will be one girl to every two cars. There will be complete contact from the time the brides leave England to permanent settlement in Canada. Contacts will be maintained until the husband returns from overseas.

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JUVENILE CLUB TAKES
7-3 Win From Bradford

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The first two periods saw close hockey. Motta in the Bradford nets had plenty to do. The visitors were obviously handicapped by the bigger ice surface and in the final frame when the Aurora passes began to click the issue was settled. The score was tied 2-2 at the end of the first period, and 3-3 at the end of the second.

Eugene Rose netted two, with Bruce Rose, Bill McGhee, Charlie Southwood and Ronnie Simmons getting singletons for Aurora. McEvoy and Collings were the Bradford marksmen. Joe Kuhla on the Bradford defence played a strong game. The High-Rose-Brodie line looked best for Aurora. Eric Smith was strong in the nets.

Herb Holman and Stewart Patrick handled the refereeing chore.

Bradford: goal, Motta; defence, Kuhla, Fuller, James, Simurda; forwards, Collings, McEvoy, Coates, Lundy, Kapisak, Fuller.

Aurora: goal, Smith; defence, Doolittle, Patrick, Southwood, vanNostrand; forwards, E. Rose, Brodie, Nigh, Davis, Holman, McGhee, Attridge, B. Rose, Simmons.

ZEPHYR AND VANDORF
MEET IN HOCKEY FINALS

Zephyr and Vandorf will clash in the Aurora town league finals following Tuesday night's sudden-death semi-final tilt at the Aurora arena. Zephyr won the opener from Aurora R.C.O.C. by a 2-1 score. The losers went down fighting hard. Scorers for Zephyr were Collings and Arnold. Pardon scored the loan goal for Ordinance.

In the nightcap Vandorf won out after a bitter battle with Ballantrae by a 3-1 score. Scorers of the tussle were Bernard (2) and Follitt for Vandorf and Harper for Ballantrae.

The officials in charge were Stewart Patrick and Jack Bennett. A crowd of around 500 witnessed the games.

ENJOY SONG FEST

A good sized congregation enjoyed Sunday evening's song fest at Aurora United church under the direction of Mrs. A. C. A. Willis.

The choir sang the 23rd Psalm, and By Babylon's Wave. A male chorus rendered I Love to Tell the Story, and a girls' chorus sang Beside Still Waters. Mrs. Lambert Wilson sang Malotte's Lord's Prayer, and Rod. V. Smith gave two saxophone solos. Vesper was Now the Day is Over.

TAKE SWIMMING LESSONS

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Mrs. Morrison, who was born Rachel Deacon, resided in Aurora for about 15 years. Her husband was engaged in the butcher business. Later she resided at both Thornhill and Markham where her husband was in business.

Mrs. Morrison resided in Windsor with her daughter, Mrs. Donald Couss, for some months prior to her death. While in Aurora, Mrs. Morrison was active in the affairs of the Women's Institute and Elma Rebekah Lodge.

Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. Couss of Windsor, and a son, Pte. Melville Morrison, now overseas. Mrs. William Merchant of Aurora is a sister. Interment was at Aurora cemetery last Tuesday.

HOCKEY STANDING

By virtue of a 4-3 win over Black Hawks, Smoke-Eaters crept into second place last week in the Aurora Lions midget hockey league.

In the bantam series Bruins shook off the second-place Red Wings defeating the Wings 4-3. No games were played on Thursday night owing to the juvenile match on Friday.

Standings as of Monday are:

Midget	P	W	L	T	A	Pts.	
Lions	6	5	1	0	42	19	10
Smoke-Eaters	7	4	2	1	32	22	9
Orphans	4	2	0	2	16	14	8
Black Hawks	7	0	6	1	17	50	1
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Maple Leafs	6	2	3	1	16	26	5
Rangers	6	0	4	2	17	30	2

Junior Basketeers
Defeat Andreans 22-10

Aurora junior basketball team kept in the running for group honors as they defeated St. Andrew's College juniors 22-10 at the college on Friday afternoon.

Howard Patrick led the scorers on both teams with 12 points. Charlie McNaught accounted for five more points for the winners. Frey with six points led the junior Saints. Only one game has been played since St. Andrew's seniors dropped out of the senior race.

S.A.C. (16): Horne (2), Henderson, Martin (4), Edmunds (2), Frey (6), Powell, Empringham, Putnam (4), Clarke.

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Mr. Dudley Wilcox, Montreal, Que., spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. J. D. Wilcox.

Mr. J. H. Knowles returned home on Sunday after attending the funeral of his mother, Mrs. J. K. Knowles, at Lanark on Thursday.

Mrs. C. Humphries, New Bedford, Mass., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cousins.

The Aurora Women's Institute is holding its annual At Home in the I.O.O.F. Hall this evening.

Students at Aurora high school enjoyed a Sadie Hawkins dance on Friday evening in the school auditorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael W. Moseley and family and Mrs. E. J. Clarke, Ajax, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Chas. Dunham.

Mrs. Jack Innes, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnes.

Miss Bertha Andrews, Creemore, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. M. L. Andrews.

Misses Vivian and Elizabeth Wilcox spent the weekend with their mother, Mrs. J. D. Wilcox.

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Sgt. McKenzie was the second Aurora boy to arrive overseas with the R.C.A.F.

Two days after his brother arrived home, Flt.-Lieut. Craig McKenzie, D.F.C., arrived at his home unexpectedly. Flt.-Lieut. McKenzie is on leave after completing an operational tour.

Five years, one month and one day after he left home following embarkation leave, Pte. Bill Hadfield returned to his wife and daughter in Aurora. A native of Cardiff, Wales, he came to Canada in his teens and was employed with Fleury-Bissell when he enlisted. An amateur boxer of note he won the Ontario amateur 145-pound boxing title in 1936, and it was not until he joined

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MAPLE HILL

There was a fine attendance at Maple Hill Junior church on Sunday. Rev. H. Leaman gave his sermon and a splendid address on the first of the year.

Prayer meeting this week will be held at Mr. M. Wright's home. The Dorcas society had a quilting at Mrs. Frank Knight's home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen White and little son Eric, Grinnell spent the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Weathered and family, Pefferlaw, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knight on Sunday.

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Cpl. Stanley Stoman's Home After Five Years

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Cpl. Stoman, now stationed in Normandy in July, 1944, and was injured by the explosion of an 80 mm. shell. After discharge from the hospital he was detained to duty with No. 1 Canadian Prisoner of War Transit Camp.

His wife, whom he married in England, preceded him to Canada in November, 1944, and is living with Mr. and Mrs. George B. Richardson, with whom Cpl. Stoman made his home previous to enlistment.

Miss Betty Richardson, tried her Grade 4 piano-forte examination at the Toronto Conservatory of Music on Thursday and passed with honors. She is a pupil of Mrs. C. B. Bouding, Aurora.

Mrs. Cline left last Friday for Chicago where she will attend the funeral of her brother, Miss Elsie Van Nostrand, Reg. N. of York County hospital staff, accompanied her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Oliver attended the Jersey Breeders' banquet at the Royal York hotel, Toronto, last Wednesday.

Masters David Preston and Billie Kingston gave temperance addresses at the morning service at Wesley church.

PLEASANTVILLE

Miss S. McQueen was a Sunday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Preston.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Sheridan, Rooby and Mary Sheridan, and Mrs. J. Fisher and baby had Sunday tea at Clarence Alderson's home, Beithside.

Mrs. G. McClure, Miss Dora McClure and Mr. Frank Morris, Toronto, were Sunday tea guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Richardson and family, Aurora.

Mrs. E. Hawtin, Mr. Stuart Starr and Mr. Stuart Starr attended the Foxton-Hawtin wedding at Beaverton on Saturday.

There was a good attendance at the Foxton-Hawtin wedding at Beaverton on Saturday. A highlight of the evening was the Chinese auction of a lovely chocolate cake donated by Mrs. M. McNicol. The proceeds were nearly \$20.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson of Keswick spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hunt.

DOWN THE CENTRE

Minor hockey play-offs are off to a fast start this week and looking over the list of centres, it is interesting to note that the majority of the players are from the same area. 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Father (to prospective son-in-
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price."
And says the prospective:
"May I see it, please?"

father, the late Lindsay McCloskey, was a former Aurora boy. We recall his uncle, Gordon "Irish" McCloskey, now resident in the United States, playing some pretty sturdy games on the defence for Aurora juniors in the O.H.A. and Aurora intermediates in the old Trolley circuit. Young Don, however, if we are to believe the critics, will be heard from in higher circles before many years are past.

Bill Cowley, according to reports emanating from Boston, is playing his last year of big league hockey. Bill has been up for around 12 years and is still going great guns although both he and his mate, Herbie Cain, are rather overshadowed this year by the Canadian duo of Maurice Richard and Elmer Lach. We wouldn't take that dispatch too seriously for hockey players are almost as bad as the ladies at reneging on a decision.

Earl Rowe, member of Dufferin-Simcoe at Ottawa and known wherever horses are talked about, has been elected as a director of the Ontario Standard Breed Horse Society (trotters and pacers). We don't know if Mr. Rowe is a betting man with the gee-gees but if so, he has some nice folding money to risk as a result of a successful wager he made on the North Grey bye-election. Frank Selke of Maple Leaf Gardens and Toronto Leafs, who is connected with the district since he has his racing farm near King City, has been elected president of the Canadian Thoroughbred Society.

Chad Bark, who performed successfully for U.T.S. against St. Andrew's College and last winter was on defence for No. 3 C.A.C.T.R. in the local hockey group, is playing defence this year for a Signals-Film army team who are finalists in the Canadian Army Belgium championships. The games are played at either Antwerp or Tilburg, which both have huge artificial arenas, both restored to operation this winter following the advent of Canadian troops to Belgium. The Germans, somehow or other, missed the piping. Antwerp arena seats 25,000 people and has around 40 dressing rooms, facts not generally known on this side of the Atlantic.

Bill Wilson has secured permission to play hockey across the line and has joined Eddie Shore's Buffalo club, as predicted he would do if the visa was secured. Thus another Newmarket boy is launched on a professional hockey career and we all will be pulling for him to make good. Wilson is hardly likely to jump to the National Hockey League now unless there is a wide extension of franchises but he has quite a few years of useful money-making play left and in the minor pro circuits he should go good.

The ex-Aurora junior could stand



Three months ago, Cpl. M. Stella Zakrzewski, Hamilton, replaced Bdr. Wm. J. Johnston, Sutton, for overseas duty—now she has become his bride. Here the couple are seen in the "cutting-the-cake" ceremony following the wedding at Dartmouth, N.S. Bdr. Johnston has completed his training and expects to go overseas soon.

a bit of extra weight and the Buffalo outfit will doubtless see to that. Despite a lack of avoidance, the dark, dark Wilson has been pretty well able to duck the opposing body checkers.

Port Credit, darkhorses of the district junior circuit, took the leadership of the group last week by defeating Markham right in the southern "cigar box". Port Credit had only eight players on hand, while the Aces had a full complement. All three clubs left have held the group leadership at some time or other and the play-offs promise to be pepperpot affairs. The Ports have won their last three starts in a row. A few weeks ago they narrowly missed losing their home rink in Oakville as the heavy snow started to cave in the roof of the rink. For a day or two the rink was banned to the public whilst nature and snow removal took its course and the crisis was averted. The rink has now been put in shape again and with the change in the weather the situation is not likely to occur again.

The heavy snowfall did, however, blackout the old Willowdale arena which for the past three years has been used as a car storage building. Originally the Thistletown rink, it was moved piecemeal to Willowdale around 1925, being revamped around 1928. The ice surface was long but narrow with a limited seating capacity and the lighting was none too good either. Greatest team ever to call the rink its home was the famous North Toronto intermediate team which won district group honors in the mid 20's. The N.T. team, led by the late Jimmy McEwen, had an all-star line which was favored to win the O.H.A. title but surprisingly enough was eliminated by an underrated Guelph team. In case you've forgotten, on the team were such fellows as Ken Holmes, Lionel Conacher, Billy Burch, "Wee" Young, the Hurt brothers and other dandies, offsprings of the old Aura Leo club.

North York A.C. also had its home there and from those teams came such boys as George Scott, Irwin Brown, Dave Murray, Gordy Fanning and Harold Pugh to play with Aurora juniors. The T.H.L. for years used every available minute on the rink and many of the present day professionals and senior players received their start there. Box-increase was also played there and box-football too, poultry shows and other community projects were held there. Let us hope that the loss of the arena will stimulate the people of the district to start a drive for a new rink, for with the large population that lives close to the city limits it is a peacetime necessity.

How Morrison, smart little forward with No. 23 name in the C.A.C. hockey league last winter, is back in his native Stratford and playing junior hockey there. Morrison was originally headed for St. Louis to play for Happy Emma after his army discharge but couldn't get across the border. Owen Johnson, ex-Aurora junior and forward that with East York, and Harold McCallum, former Unionville-Markham-Galt performer, are both playing this winter for the intermediate hockey team of H.M.C.S. Cornwall in the Marlinton. The intermediate team are going great guns too and have been mopping up all opposition. This is not the same team that Scotty Blair plays for.

Port Kennedy of Agincourt, well-known district brawler, is one of those fellows who are equally good with hammer and tins and a few weeks ago he accounted for a Toronto Granite rink in Kirkland Lake where they downed the host in the north. Another convert to curling is Don McDonald of Sutton-Gravenhurst hockey acclima, now a Gravenhurst business man. Sutton, by the way, had a successful hospital not long ago.

With the Hill, Sutton, Bradford, Agincourt, Unionville, Stouffville, Leicestershire, Uxbridge and other centres all going top speed in curling it seems odd that the game has not caught on in Newmarket or Aurora. There are, of course, certain Newmarket fellows who continue to play the game under difficult conditions but there is no reason why at least one strong club between the two centres couldn't be formed. There is a project for the Lions club or the Board of Trade of either town to tackle. There are plenty of older fellows and younger fellows too who would be interested

Birthday wishes are extended this week to:
Donald Williams, Newmarket, 12 years old on Friday, Feb. 18.
Jimmie Moore, Newmarket, seven years old on Sunday, Feb. 18.
Eleanor Thivierge, St. Catharines, 11 years old on Monday, Feb. 19.
Barbara Page, Newmarket, seven years old on Wednesday, Feb. 21.
Joan McKnight, R. 3, Newmarket, 13 years old on Thursday, Feb. 22.
Bill Brown, Holland Landing, 16 years old on Friday, Feb. 23.
Margaret Smith, Holland Landing, 13 years old on Friday, Feb. 23.

Send in your name, age and birthday and become a member of The Era and Express Birthday club.

HOLLAND LANDING

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roberts were guests at the wedding of Mr. McDonald and Mrs. Roberts on Saturday afternoon in Bradford.

Mrs. J. R. Sweet was called to Toronto on Saturday as her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Bagler, had a serious attack of appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Goodwin attended the funeral of Mrs. Walter Tate in Toronto on Monday.

Miss Bessie Evans, Reg. N., Orillia, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Evans, for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith and children of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stephenson.

Miss Margaret Tomes, Toronto, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Tomes, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jones, Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McCallum.

Mrs. E. Bonnell visited her mother, Mrs. Meyers, Toronto, on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Simmerson and family of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jarvis.

In playing if a club was formed that should go on the "must" list for next year.

Over in the South Ontario league, in a game between Brougham Bears (Herb Simpson and Co.) and Oshawa Junior B team, an odd accident occurred which might have been more serious. Bob Mackey of the Oshawa club fell to the ice and one of the skates of the opposing players cut his neck, going through to the mouth and just about severing the tongue. The blood poured on the ice and it was at first feared a blood vessel had been cut or worse. However, young Mackey will shortly be playing hockey as good as ever.

Gordy Drillon, ex-Leafs-Canadiens player, having been discharged from the R.C.A.F., has wisely decided to get his seagulls back in amateur hockey and has joined the Shawinigan Falls team in the Quebec interprovincial senior league. A new law for district gate receipts was underlined, unofficially, was established when Markham played the junior Redmen-Capitals not so long ago. Rumor has it the net return to the kids was less than a dollar. With support like that the youngsters just couldn't carry on. The matter needs no comment but speaks for itself.

Jack Wheeler, the old sultan of swoosh, also suffered a painful internal injury and has been on the sidelines but the Collingwood boys expects to get back into the line-up soon.

Flash Abram and Pat Powers are now stationed at No. 23 B.T.C. and while still on the Toronto army roster are now eligible to play with the Caswell club and what's more have been out to practice with the buccos from 23. Chances are they will not see action except for the playoffs and exhibition tilts. Junior has it that two more of the better Toronto army players, to wit and whereas, Jeff Deslites and Pat Wee Summerhill, are both slated for training courses at Newmarket. Those navy guys will have to watch out or they'll get scuttled by the army. Could be that tonight would be one time and about time too, sez Syd Bowman.

Just a reminder that next week the big skating carnival becomes a reality and you'll want to be there to see it all. "Try and get in" will be the slogan unless you get on your toes. Tom Kirk night in Newmarket too tomorrow night and that means fun galore for the kids and all for free as the memory of one of Newmarket's best hockey players for the kids is perpetuated. Have a gander at the kids having a good time. It's a real cure-all!

ELMHURST BEACH

Chief Shipwright and Mrs. H. Beck visited Mr. and Mrs. Art Dawson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Dawson attended the annual dance of the Indianola Beach Association at Malloney's Art Galleries and met many summer residents.

Mr. Geo. Langridge, who has been spending the winter in Toronto, spent several days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hirst. During his stay he visited several L.O.L. lodges with Mr. Hirst.

Miss Elona Mochulsky spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lockerie.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Dawson had tea with Mr. and Mrs. Lockerie on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Lockerie has recently been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Marsh, Newmarket.

Sgt. and Mrs. F. Maw spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Selby Sedore.

Mrs. Sedore has received word from her son, Pte. W. C. Sedore, who has been on leave in Glasgow and Edinburgh. He is now back in Holland.

Mr. Lunn is feeling a great deal better. Miss Agnes Lunn is home on holidays.

Allan Peters has been on the sick list recently and is still confined to his bed.

L. Bdr. and Mrs. Lorne Hodgins are spending some holidays at Niagara and Buffalo visiting friends.

Pte. O. Sedore visited his sister, Mrs. Harman Sedore, during the weekend.

Sub-Lieut. Thomas Johnson, Toronto, and Miss Joan Baines of York County hospital staff, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Pollock on Sunday.

Miss Doris Pollock spent an enjoyable evening with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Davidson last week.

SHARON

Mrs. F. Vernon, Newmarket, Mrs. Geo. Shephard (formerly Miss Emma Doan of Sharon), of Moose Jaw, Sask., and Mrs. Wallace, also of Moose Jaw (formerly Miss L. Taylor of Holland Landing), were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vernon.

Mrs. Shephard was organist at the Davidite Meeting House before she was married.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parker and Andrew spent the weekend with

Mr. and Mrs. James Parker. Miss Doris Mackie, Toronto, spent the weekend at the Fountain home.

Miss Alice Ramsay and Mrs. Bob Brisson spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Ramsay.

Mrs. Davis, Gore Bay, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Fry.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Shaw visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Hillaby, Richmond Hill, on Sunday.

Misses Phyllis and Gwen Kitley spent the weekend at home.

Mr. Eugene Kitley spent a few days at home recently.

Mr. John Salter was a Sunday guest at the Kitley home.

Miss Jean Evans and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Mount and Dale spent the weekend with Mrs. Ethel Evans.

There will be a progressive euchre in Sharon hall, under the auspices of Sharon Women's Institute, on Tuesday, Feb. 27. Play will start sharp at 8.30 p.m.

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MOUNT ALBERT

The Women's Institute has yarn to knit for the Navy League. It may be obtained from Mrs. H. Longhurst.

The annual meeting of the Mount Albert unit of the East Gwillimbury Red Cross will be held Monday evening, Feb. 26, at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. Geo. Calver and Sylvia attended the opening of the Ontario legislature last Thursday and afterwards went to the reception held in Mr. Jolliffe's office.

Mrs. G. W. E. Macpherson held a couple of five hundred parties last week on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons. The proceeds went to the public library fund of which Mrs. Macpherson is president.

A caterpillar was picked up on a snowbank in the park on Saturday by H. Longhurst and,

believe it or not, it was very much alive.

Mrs. Thos. Watts was 80 years young last Thursday. A number of her friends dropped in to wish her a happy birthday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Burgess attended the graduation ceremonies held in convocation hall in Toronto on Friday. Dr. Geo. Burgess was one of the graduates. He received his M.D. degree.

Friday night will be the United Church Sunday-school at Home. The children and grown-up will spend a pleasant evening at supper, with moving pictures and games afterwards.

KESWICK

Kenneth Laurie Was Well Known In Keswick

Kenneth Laurie, 23, son of Dr. Wilfred J. Laurie, Toronto, was wounded fatally by a shot from a .22-calibre rifle which accidentally discharged in a bedroom in which the young man was cleaning the gun.

Kenneth ("Bud") Laurie was well known and popular, having lived in Keswick during Dr. Laurie's practice here and later spending every summer here. An older son, Douglas, has been listed missing overseas for many months.

Mrs. Gordon Prosser is a guest at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Prosser's.

Miss Agnes Lunn, Toronto, formerly of Keswick bank staff, is at home on two weeks holidays.

Mrs. Clarence Wright, Queensville, was visiting relatives here on Monday.

Mrs. Gordon Smith, who has been ill, is improving.

ZEPHYR

Miss Jean Clark, Newmarket, Miss Blanche Clark and a friend of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Chesley Clark.

Mr. Frank Meyers, Cannington, spent the weekend visiting relatives in Zephyr.

The Y.P.S. will meet on Friday evening in the Sunday-school room. Dorothy Curl will have charge of the Christian culture meeting.

Mrs. P. Thomas and Bruce spent a few days in Newmarket recently.

Miss Daisy Graham, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Graham.

Miss Irma Cain spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Cain.

Mrs. N. Horner was taken to York County hospital on Monday. A quilting was held at the home of Mrs. E. Lockie on Tuesday of last week.

SHARON

East Gwillimbury branch of the Red Cross shipped the following to headquarters in February: 112 sterilizing squares, 24"x24", 50 sterilizing squares, 9", 42 cautery mitts, 22 prs. laparotomy stockings, 19 quilts, 14 boys' coats, ten hot water bags, covers, ten infants' nightgowns, 14 prs. khaki gloves, two navy turtle-neck sweaters, six prs. grey service socks, two air force turtle-neck sweaters, 15 prs. air force gloves.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jordan and Norma, Mount Albert, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred King. Miss Harper spent the weekend with Miss Jean Cupples.

Miss Audrey Gibney, Toronto, spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gibney.

Mrs. Gordon Morris, Toronto, spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. John E. Janson.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Hoover and sons of Ravenshoe and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hoover, Cole Lake, spent Sunday with Mrs. Addie Hoover.

Baby Carolyn Marles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Marles, is improving nicely after her operation.

Mrs. Murray Varney, Newmarket, spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Watts were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cupples on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Cunningham had dinner on Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gibney.

RAVENSHOE

Ravenshoe, Feb. 15—Gnr. Allen Martin has returned to Nova Scotia after spending a week with his wife and family.

The church service was cancelled on Sunday due to road conditions.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Brown.

Mrs. Elmer Hamilton spent the weekend in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pollard and Lloyd were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Armstrong on Saturday.

UNION STREET

The March meeting of the Union Street Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Ethel McClure on Thursday, March 1, at 2 p.m. Roll-call will be answered with Hints On Housecleaning. The program committee is Mrs. Archie Sedore, Mrs. Lillian Johnston, Mrs. Carl Bray. The hostesses will be Mrs. Irvin Rose, Miss Violet Micks and Miss Iva Crowder.

ANSNORVELD

Mr. A. Havinga is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. P. Turkstra, Hamilton.

Bart Vander Klein, who has been in the hospital for some time, underwent an operation last week.

Mr. Wm. Horlings is spending a few days visiting relatives in Chatham.

Rev. Wiepinga of Sarnia will preach at the Christian Reformed church on Sunday.

Ansnoeveld, Feb. 15—Mr. and Mrs. M. De Jong and family spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. Van Dyken, Toronto.

DANCE IS FRIDAY
There will be a dance in the township hall at Belhaven on Friday, Feb. 23, under the auspices of the North Gwillimbury branch of the Red Cross. Mount Albert orchestra will provide the music.

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SPORTS...

FROM
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By DEL. GIBNEY

From No. 23 comes word that district boxing championships will be conducted at the Newmarket camp drill hall Sunday and Monday evenings, Feb. 25 and 26. Some of Canada's outstanding boxers will participate. Novice bouts will be run off Sunday, all finals taking place Monday night. Already matched are L-Cpl. Len Wadsworth of No. 23, Canadian army middleweight champion, and Pte. Art Steeves of No. 20, Brantford.

Pte. Jim Callura, No. 23, will meet Cpl. J. Wilson of the Hamilton Army Trades School. Others to appear in this tourney will be Pte. G. Shears, M.D. 2 featherweight champion, 1944; Pte. Maurice Cudde, of No. 20, Brantford, runner-up to Patsy Brandino, Canadian army lightweight champion, 1944, L-Cpl. Cavanaugh, No. 23, Montreal pro, 100 bouts to his credit; Pte. Tony Sitybel, No. 26, Orillia, Winnipeg pro with over 150 bouts underneath his belt.

This tournament is keenly looked forward to by all ranks, giving them excellent opportunity to witness pro calibre fights. It's a credit to the camp being selected as the site for this outstanding event. A general invitation is extended to the local townspeople. Admission free.

HOLLAND LANDING

There will be a euchre party at the schoolhouse on Friday, March 2, in aid of the cigaret fund.

QUEEN'S PARK NEWS

By Geo. H. Mitchell
M.P.P. for York North

Ontario's legislature opened Thursday with usual wartime simplicity. The Lieutenant-governor was escorted by a guard of honor, clad in battledress, consisting entirely of men who have returned from active war service overseas.

There were only a few vacant seats when the House assembled. Two members are overseas on active service, Rev. A. W. Downer (P.C., Dufferin-Simcoe) who is serving as chaplain with the troops, and Pte. L. E. Wismer (C.C.F., Toronto-Riverdale) a navigator on active service with the R.C.A.F. in Britain. Premier Drew and Opposition Leader Jolliffe expressed the hope that arrangements could be made for both these members to return on furlough before the end of the session. Another absent member was C. H. Millard (C.C.F., West York) who is attending the World Labor Conference in London, Eng.

Hon. T. L. Kennedy, the minister of agriculture, was unable to be present as he is still in hospital. It is hoped that he will be well enough to return later in the session.

The opening session was brief, as usual. The Lieutenant-governor read

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